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Subject: Tasks pending at the Jackpile Paguete Mine

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There are several items at the Jackpile Paguete Mine that are of concern or should be completed by Anaconda prior to the completion of the reclamation agreement. These items are as follows:

1. Repair water retention berm system and open partially blocked culvert on the Rio Paguete as requested by BLM at our last inspection of November 07, 1986.
2. Check on status of security order during December.
3. Document, by air photo, the final surface condition at the Minesite (This is an in-house activity not a BLM requirement).
4. Handling of possible hazardous waste on the minesite that is going to be transferred to the Pueblo of Laguna. This includes waste motor oils, PCB transformers and asbestos lined boilers.
5. Transfer of utility responsibility to the Pueblo in order to continue operation of environmental sampling stations.
6. Transfer of building leases presently in process between Anaconda and Hamilton Construction to the Pueblo.

An additional item to be aware of as we near a reclamation agreement with the Laguna Pueblo is the old Anaconda workings. Anaconda operated three small mining operations separate of the Jackpile-Paguete area leases on Laguna Pueblo land. These operations, known as the Crack Pot Mine, the Sandy Mine and the South Laguna Mine were small and resulted in only minor disturbance (less than 15 acres). Anaconda completed a radiological survey of the mine areas in 1979 and minor anomalies were detected. These small minesites may generate some future concern by the Pueblo.

Should you need more information, please let me know. Paul and I will work on these items of concern unless you have other instructions.

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